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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO OCTOBER 18, 2002 OFFICE ACTION AND PETITION FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

This Amendment is being submitted in response to the October 18, 2002 Office Action, issued by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified application. A response was due November 18, 2002. Applicants hereby petition for one-month extension of time. The fee as prescribed by 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(1) to cover this extension is \$55.00. The Patent Office is authorized to charge the amount of such fee to Deposit Account No. 50-0306. Accordingly a response including a one-month

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